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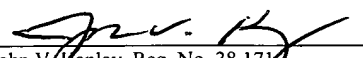
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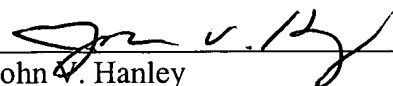
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In response to the Election/Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action dated June 9, 2006, Applicant hereby elects Group I, Species A. It is believed that claims 1-15 read on the elected species.

Respectfully submitted,

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